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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed February 23, 2006, Applicant submits amendments and argument in support of patentability. A two month extension of time for filing this response is requested and the Commissioner is authorized to charge this and any other required fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1922.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.